

HOT SHOT FOR GAMBLING CHRISTIANS

WOMAN AT WELL USED TO SHOW GOD'S POWER

Sermon Punctuated With Striking Sentences Which Kept Everyone Awake and Listening—Episcopalian Night Draws Good Crowd.

Notwithstanding the threatening weather "Episcopalian night" attracted a good sized audience to the revival meeting last evening. Members of the Episcopal churches were out in large numbers. The song service was followed by prayer by Rev. W. J. Morton of Christ Church, a duet by Mrs. Sherman Fowler and Prof. Cole, and a solo by the evangelist.

Among the forcible, striking statements which arrested the attention of the people were these:

"If the city editor of the Gazette were called up on the phone tonight and told that some of you had passed away, what could he say about you? Have you lived to yourself? Have you spent your life simply trying to make money? I'd rather live so that when I am laid out in yonder cemetery they could say of me, 'I'm glad Smith lived; he led me to Christ.'"

"You say you don't like revivals. The spring is only a revival of nature. Why not find fault with that? Do you mean to find fault with people who try to do good simply because they don't do it your way? If we can get hold of one man and make him sober for a year it will be worth all these meetings cost."

"I know of church members who don't know Jesus Christ."

"You people who play bridge, what for prizes, how dare you go to communion? What is the difference between the gambler who plays cards for money or the woman who plays for prizes? The principle is the same. If the firemen of your city were to sit and play cards while a building burns down you would condemn them, wouldn't you? Well, as a messenger of Jesus Christ, I have the right to condemn you, for you are letting men die without trying to save them."

When some of us get a vision of ourselves as God sees us we'll want to sink away out of sight."

"I know some of you think ministers are crazy. I used to think so too, but when I was willing to consecrate myself, I changed my mind. I'm pleading for the best in your life. And you'll never be what you can be until you give Christ the right of way."

God's ability to save the lowest, most fallen of His children and turn them into instruments for his use, was the thought of the sermon.

The evangelist took for his scriptural lesson the story of the Samaritan woman at Jacob's well, who, although her sins had debarr'd her from society, God gave her the spiritual water of life and caused a revival in the Samaritan town in which she lived.

The revival in the Samaritan town was caused by the woman telling the people, with whom she came in contact, that "there is a man at the well, who told me all that I ever did." "When the woman changed her heart," said the evangelist, "there was a changed place. And that is the experience every Christian has. He first changes his heart, and then he changes the surroundings. If this revival is successful in changing Alexandria, then it is along the lines God would have it."

"When the Samaritan woman changed her heart, she began to tell everybody about it; and she brought many persons to Christ. So must you do. There are persons in this city whom no preacher under God's heaven could touch with a sermon, but whom you could bring to Christ. To have a revival in one's life there is one thing that is necessary; a heart to heart and face to face talk with Christ, stated the evangelist."

"It is said that we have four personalities, namely: That which people outside of your home know; that which the people in your home know; that which you know yourself to be; and that which God knows you to be. When you are willing to find out what God knows you to be, then is the beginning of a change in your life, of a change in your home."

"We go into a studio and have our pictures taken and call for them later."

The artist has retouched the proofs we took; he has taken from them all the bumps, warts, and pimples that appeared in the proof. He has made you different from what you are. There is not a photographer in America today who could make pictures like people are and stay in the business.

"But God gives you only the artist's proof; he has no one to retouch those He takes of you. All the moral warts, all the spiritual blemishes appear on the pictures. God's power only comes through the studio; a person must first gain God's idea of him, then will come the revival in his life."

"I remember well when I was only a small child in our home in England. After the winter snows had melted we would go out in the yard to the old plank that lay in the pathway and would turn it over. When we did there always appeared on the bottom thousands of those little bugs that love the filth, the slime, the dirt—the bugs that hate God's sunlight."

"It is so in our lives. We may have the upper side of the plank varnished; we may add a coat of veneer when the revival comes around, but if we want to get right with God we have got to let Him lift the plank; the dark things of our lives have got to come out. They have got to be exposed to the light. There was a man walking through the shadows of forest of trees that had taken on their summer foliage. He remarked to himself that he was a good sort of fellow and that he didn't have anything wrong with himself. But he finally came to the end of the shadows and the sunlight struck him. He found a spot on his clothes, that his shoes were not shined and his hat was rumpled. The sunlight had struck him, and had shown his faults. Come out of the shadows into God's sunlight."

"When the plank had been turned in the life of the Samaritan woman, she asked for the water of life, and Christ gave it to her. It is so with us. When the light is turned on our faults we see them as they are."

"The next step to take after the plank has been turned is to tell people about it. Immediately after the Samaritan woman had received the blessing of Christ she hastened to tell others of it. She spoke to the first man she saw, telling him to come to the well, where Christ was. God used this woman, although she had five husbands and was then living with a man who was not her husband. With her He shook the whole Samaritan town."

"There are persons in this audience who have been wondering why you professing Christians haven't come to them. You can't speak for God unless you have spoken with Him."

"There are one or two things you must know and be to be a true follower of Christ. First, you must know that you are not the man or woman you ought to be—you must be humble; then you must not be selfish. You cannot plan your own life."

"Then you must give your all to Christ. If you give ninety-nine parts of you to Christ, and withhold one, that one stands in the way of a blessing."

Tonight the Evangelist's subject will be "What is a Christian?" Special music will be rendered by the choir and a male quartette or chorus."

The Courthouse of Caswell county North Carolina, at Yanceyville, was struck by lightning yesterday afternoon and set on fire. A bucket brigade put out the fire after a long fight and only the bell tower was destroyed. Danville, Va., was asked to send a motor engine, but the water facilities were such that the engine would have been useless. Two large chemical extinguishers were sent, but were stopped at Gatewoods, N. C. The Courthouse that the fire was out. Mrs. Cora Slade, was knocked senseless by a bolt of lightning which struck her home.

Alexandria City News Condensed

Mrs. Frank Hibbs and children are visiting at Silcott Springs, Loudoun county, Virginia.

The July term of the circuit court will open Monday morning at 10 a. m., Judge J. B. T. Thornton presiding.

Mrs. E. M. Anderson, and daughter, Miss Lucy Anderson, have returned to their home in Duke street, after spending the month of August in Purcellville, Loudoun county, Virginia.

Mrs. Louis Hooff and Miss Mary Hooff have returned to their home on Seminary Hill, after a visit to Mrs. L. P. Nelson, Jr., in Culpeper.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Gregg and daughter, Miss Josephine Gregg left Thursday for Bluemont, Loudoun county, where they will spend two weeks.

James Brooke Arnold, 64 years old, died last night at his home, 222 N. Patrick street. The deceased is survived by a wife and four sons, and was employed as a night baggage agent at the Union station. Funeral arrangements have not been made.

At the last session of Congress the stamp tax law of A and B schedule was repealed and became effective today. This provided for stamps on documents and cosmetics. The deputy stamp collector at this place has been notified of the annulment of the law.

Regular meetings for the fall and winter will be resumed by the Chamber of Commerce Monday night, September 11, after a recess for the summer. Several committee meetings have been held recently, plans being under way for the securing of several new industries for this city.

Sergeant Scott of the local police force found a gunning skiff floating in the Potomac river, Wednesday evening without an occupant. Who the owner is, or whether he might have met with an accident and is in the bottom of the river, is not known. Sergeant Scott has the boat in charge and will be glad to turn it over to the proper parties upon demand.

WHEREABOUTS OF BREMEN

German Submarine Believed to Have Been Lost.

New York, Sept. 9.—A Washington dispatch to the New York Herald says:

The merchant submarine Bremen passed the British channel patrol and was due to arrive in American waters 10 days ago. Its failure to put in an appearance by this time practically convinces naval experts that she has been lost at sea.

This information was given to the Herald from an official and unquestionably authentic source. It is learned that the Bremen successfully completed the first and most hazardous stage of her transatlantic journey.

She was later in her schedule than the captain of the submarine Deutschland predicted while he was in the United States, and this is accounted for on the ground that she was obliged to make several attempts to elude the British patrol.

But it is now known definitely that the Bremen did get past the British patrol and that the admiralty fully expected to hear of her arrival in the United States. Granting to her a maximum period for the journey, it is said she should have arrived in American waters ten days ago.

The only explanation of her nonappearance is that she has met with some mishap and has been lost.

It is not believed now that her fate ever will be certainly known. With the loss of the Bremen, it is said, there is little likelihood that Germany will be able to carry her merchant submarine program any further, at least until next spring.

Special Notice.

The ladies of Martha Washington Chapter, O. E. S. are requested to meet at eight o'clock, Monday evening, September 11th, in the chapter room of the Masonic Temple.

By order of Worthy Matron. 211-2t.

Oysters in all styles at the Rammel Cafe.

Mrs. Nellie Richards has returned to her home in this city after a pleasant sojourn at Colonial Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel L. Monroe, have returned from a short visit to The Plains, Virginia.

Virginia Lodge, No. 1076, Loyal Order of Moose, is making big plans for its class initiation late in October.

The eleventh annual meeting of the League of Virginia Municipalities will be held in Clifton Forge, September 26, 27 and 28.

The hospital ship "Solace," with a red cross on her smokestack, passed up the river on her way to Washington this morning.

Miss Alice May Harper is spending the month of September with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Weller E. Nicholson, in Philadelphia.

Mrs. B. Weil returned to her home in south St. Asaph street Wednesday after a visit to her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Diener, on East street, Culpeper, Va.

Some friends of Mr. Gypsy Smith propose going to Alexandria Thursday, Sept. 14th, to attend his night service and return the same night. —Culpeper Exponent.

Mr. S. G. Blanton, vice-principal of Alexandria High School has been appointed second lieutenant in the U. S. Army Reserve Corps after six weeks instruction at National Training Camp, Plattsburg, N. Y.

Following appeals by Captain Fountain Beattie, of this city, for funds, efforts have been put under way by the surviving members of the command of the late John S. Mosley to erect a suitable memorial to the Confederate chieftain at Warrenton, his birthplace. The work of soliciting funds is being undertaken by Captain Beattie and Major R. A. McIntyre, of Warrenton, Virginia.

HYDROAEROPLANE FALLS

Aviator Rescued by Boat From Steamer Charles Macalister.

Lieut. Warren G. Child, corps of U. S. Naval aviators, testing out and experimenting with flying machines, was rescued from the Potomac River at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon, just below the War College, at the Washington navy yard where he had fallen with an old type hydroaeroplane, by a boat from the excursion steamer Charles Macalister which happened to be passing when the big flying machine fell.

The officer was taken aboard the steamer and later landed by the tugboat John Miller, Capt. Turner, and transferred to a navy yard boat. He was treated by one of the naval surgeons at the navy yard. His injuries were slight.

The accident happened when Lieut. Child's machine was 25 feet above the water. The left wing of the machine collapsed, it is believed, because of a sudden gust of strong wind. The machine was being put through some severe tests.

Notice of Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the stockholders and directors of the Harris and Shafer Co., will be held at Alexandria, Va., on Thursday, September 28, 1916, at 2:30 p. m. By order of the President,

E. ALLEN HARRIS, Secretary. September 8, 1916. 211-12t.

Administrators Notice.

Having qualified as executor of the estate of the late Miss Elizabeth Moore Janney, deceased, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to settle the same with me, and all persons having claims against said estate are requested to present the same properly authenticated for settlement.

DOUGLASS STUART, Executor, 122 South Fairfax street. 210-10t.

Oyster season opens at the Rammel Cafe, tomorrow Sept. 1st.

Mr. G. Bryan Pitts has returned from a business trip to New York and Philadelphia.

Mrs. Lucy Lunt, of Alexandria, is visiting at the home of her brother Mr. Albert Milhollen, at Philomont, Virginia.

Miss Thelma Walker has returned to her home in this city after a two-week's visit with her cousin, Miss Katherine Shryock, in Ryan, Va.

Mrs. J. Johnston Downey returned to her home in this city last night after spending the summer in Louisville, Ky., and Bedford county, Va.

Mrs. Robert Whitestone and two sons, Melville and Julian, have returned to their home in this city after spending some time with relatives in Culpeper.

Mrs. Charles Calvert Smoot, 3rd, who has been the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Uhler for the past few days left last night for Virginia Beach accompanied by Miss Lucy B. Uhler, who will spend a week with Mrs. Smoot.

The Alexandria Pleasure Club during the week gave a straw ride to East Arlington, Alexandria county. There was dancing at Siegel's Hall following the arrival of the party. Refreshments were served. The party was chaperoned by Mrs. Nalls, and her daughter, Miss Thelma Nalls. Music was furnished by Prof. Liberman of Washington.

The will of the late Miss Ann Lawson Tebbis was admitted to probate in the clerk's office of the court today. The testatrix, after making minor bequests, bequeaths the remainder of her estate to R. H. Tebbis, of Leesburg, and J. Douglass McLean. R. H. Tebbis qualified as executor. The will of the late Elizabeth Walker was also admitted to probate. The deceased left all her estate, real and personal, to her brother, George W. Rogers, who qualified as executor.

CHURCH SERVICES

To be Held Tomorrow in the Several Houses of Worship.

The Rev. W. L. McDowell, D. D., Superintendent of the Washington District, Methodist Episcopal Church, will preach at Trinity church tomorrow at 11 a. m.

At the services at the Methodist Protestant Church, tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock, Rev. E. T. Kirkley, the pastor, will preach on "The Power of the Holy Spirit."

Regular preaching service will be held at 11 o'clock at the Second Presbyterian Church, when the pastor, Rev. John Lee Allison, will speak from the text "Vessels for God's Use." Sunday school will be held in the Westminster building and at the Payne street chapel at the usual hours.

Rev. Wm. J. Morton will take for his text at the 11 o'clock service at Christ Church, the words found in Matthew 27:22—"Pilate saith unto them, what shall I do there with Jesus which is called Christ? They say unto him, let him be crucified." Prof. Cole will sing the offertory at the service and will also speak to the children at Christ Church at 10 o'clock in the morning.

Walter Bridgeman lies in the General Hospital at Danville, seriously wounded in the abdomen, as the result of a shooting affair which took place Thursday near Schoolfield, John Lakey, is in jail charged with the shooting. The affair took place in the rear of the baseball park. Lakey claims that three men drew knives threatening to kill him. He says that shot Bridgeman in self-defense. County officers who took Lakey into custody assert that, after quarreling with three men over a game of cards, Lakey went to a near-by restaurant and secured a revolver. He returned to the woods, and the shooting took place a short while afterwards.

OTHELLOS MINUS OCCUPATIONS

Prohibition Law Will Affect 650 Dealers in Virginia

HAVE PAID \$195,253.62

State Licenses Issued in Ten Cities and Seventeen Counties in Various Classes.

Six hundred and fifty liquor dealers in Virginia will close their doors fifty two days after to-day, when the Mapp prohibition act, prohibiting the sale of ardent spirits in the State, except by bonded drug stores, and throwing stringent restrictions around its shipment, goes into effect.

Licenses for the conduct of these businesses from May 1 to October 31 this year netted the State revenues amounting to a total of \$195,253.62. These figures show a decided decrease from those of the corresponding period of last year, when prospective dealers had more encouragement for the future. Many dealers who had handled liquor in one way or another failed in May to renew their right to the privilege.

Out of the 650 licenses granted by the State, 492 of them entitled the licensee to sell liquor over the counter as a retailer; there were eighty which combined the privileges of retailing and shipping; eleven of them were issued to wholesalers nine to manufacturers and distillers of whiskey, fifteen to make brandy, eight to wholesale dealers in malt liquors only, twenty-one to social clubs, four to rectifiers, five to hotels at resorts having a natural spring or large body of salt water and five to manufacturers of malt liquor only.

Dealers throughout the State have been preparing for closing for several weeks. Urgent preparedness appeals are conspicuous in every saloon. The man who takes his daily eye-opener and his nightly sleep-producer has been warned of the dry times ahead. Many dealers have completed arrangements for removing their business to other territory. Still others are ready to embark upon untied business ventures.

Liquor is now handled in Virginia cities, as follows:

Alexandria, thirty-four retail dealers, five retailers and shippers, one wholesale dealer, and one manufacturer of malt liquor.

Bristol, four retail dealers, nine retailers and shippers, one wholesale dealer, two whiskey manufacturers or distillers, two wholesale dealers in malt liquor, and one social club.

Charlottesville, one manufacturer or distillery of brandy.

Lynchburg, twelve retail dealers, nine retailers and shippers, one wholesale dealer in malt liquor and one social club.

Newport News, forty retail dealers and three retailers and shippers.

Norfolk, 100 retail dealers, five retailers and shippers, three wholesalers four wholesale dealers in malt liquor, and three social clubs.

Petersburg, twenty-eight retail dealers, twelve retailers and shippers, and one social club.

Portsmouth, forty-six retail dealers five retailers and shippers and one social club.

Richmond, 141 retail dealers, seventeen retailers and shippers, six wholesalers, ten social clubs, four rectifiers, and two manufacturers of malt liquors.

Roanoke, twenty-eight retail dealers, six retailers and shippers, two whiskey distilleries, one wholesale dealer in malt liquor, three social clubs and one manufacturer of malt liquor.

Liquor is handled in the counties as follows:

Alexandria County, one manufacturer of malt liquor.

Bath, three retail dealers.

Bedford, one whiskey and one brandy distillery.

Elizabeth City, thirty-four retail dealers.

Franklin, one retailer and shipper and one brandy distillery.

Greensville, three retailers and

BULGARIANS STILL ADVANCE

Claim to have Made Advance of Fifty Miles in Roumania

SEAPORTS CAPTURED

German Press Tells of Weakness and Irresolution of the Roumanian Chieftains.

Berlin, Sept. 9. — German and Bulgarian troops have advanced more than fifty miles beyond the Roumanian frontier in their operations along the Black sea coast. German war correspondents reported today.

London, Sept. 9. —The beginning of a great battle in Southeastern Roumania, where the Russians have taken the offensive against the Bulgarians and Germans, is reported in a Rome dispatch given out by the wireless press.

The struggle is now under way over the whole front in Dobrudja, between the Danube and the Black Sea. Fighting is particularly desperate near Baltjik, on the Black Sea coast, about 10 miles north of the Bulgarian frontier.

This information, the Wireless dispatch says, was received in Rome. An undated official Bulgarian report received here says that the Bulgarian and German forces, which are invading Eastern Roumania, have captured the fortress of Debric (Bazardjik) and the seaport of Baltjik, Kavarna and Kali Akra.

The occupation of Orsova by the Roumanians is conceded in the Bulgarian statement.

Roumanian authorities in London say the result of the fighting in the Roumanian province of Dobrudja is being greatly exaggerated and that what has happened was more or less expected. They say there were not as many Roumanian troops in the district as the Germans claim to have captured. The Danube town of Tutukai, was not a strongly fortified place they declare, but was simply defended with earthworks.

Vienna, Sept. 9.—Austrian troops have been withdrawn from their positions west of Csik Szereda, 50 miles north of Kronstadt, before Roumanian attacks, says the official communication issued from Austro-Hungarian headquarters. Heavy fighting continues east of Holicz, Galicia.

Bucharest, Roumania, Sept. 9. —The capture of the fortress of Tutukai on the Danube, by German and Bulgarian troops is admitted in an official communication issued by the Roumanian War Office today.

Amsterdam, Sept. 9. —German newspapers greet the news of the capture of the Roumanian fortress of Tutukai with jubilation. The Cologne Gazette recalls that Field Marshal von Moltke considered this the best point for crossing the Danube, but the newspaper does not predict a Bulgarian march against Bucharest. The Koelnische Volks Zeitung says:

"This crossing of the Danube is barred to the Roumanians and Russians and the capture of the fortress itself is a weighty victory, even if one leaves out of consideration possible further successes."

shippers.

Halifax, two whiskey distilleries and one of brandy.

Henrico, one social club.

Henry, one whiskey distillery.

Madison, eight brandy distilleries.

Norfolk, twelve retail dealers.

Patrick, three brandy distilleries.

Pittsylvania, one whiskey distillery.

Princess Anne, five hotels at resorts having a natural spring or a large body of salt water.

Rockingham, five retailers and shippers.

Warwick, four retailers.

Westmoreland, six retail dealers.

Sheriff W. W. Sydnor, of Henric county has received a telegram from the police authorities at Plentywood, Montana, stating that Grover Sperring, a young man formerly of Richmond, had been killed in that city.

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CORNERSTONE LAYING

Ceremonies in Connection With
Foundation of New Hospital
Will be Conducted

Arrangements are being completed for the laying of the cornerstone of Alexandria's new hospital, and the date for the ceremonies has been fixed upon as next Tuesday. The cornerstone will be swung into place at 5 o'clock promptly. Ceremonies on the occasion will be conducted by Alexandria Washington Lodge of Masons, and the trowel used to lay the cornerstones of the national Capital and the Washington monument, and a relic of the period in which George Washington was master of Alexandria-Washington Lodge, will be wielded.

It is expected that a large number of the board of trustees of the hospital, the medical staff, and the lady board of managers will be present. Dr. William S. Smith, of this city, president of the State Board of Health, will represent the hospital medical staff, and is expected to deliver a few remarks on the culmination of the hopes and plans of the hospital officials in securing the new up-to-date structure for the city.

Within the cornerstone will be a metal box containing relics of this city and papers of various sorts which are being prepared by the lady board of managers, of which Mrs. R. N. Ballenger is president.

MUCH-NEEDED SHOWERS.

Copious Rains, Accompanied by Wind
Thunder and Lightning, Fall
Late Yesterday.

Truckers in this neighborhood have recently suggested that rain was badly needed, and towards the close of yesterday black clouds loomed up in the west and northwest which brought relief. About five o'clock showers were falling, but they were short-lived. After the rain had ceased to fall heavy clouds still hung in the southwestern heavens, and the wind, which was from that quarter, half an hour later brought them over this city. Lightning was flashing and thunder rolling, and the wind was high. Rain fell in torrents, and continued for some time. The heavens in the meantime were darkened, so much so that artificial light was necessary in houses.

While the tempest was raging the wind twisted limbs from trees and caused other minor damage in different sections of the city.

Although considerable lightning accompanied the storm, the electric fluid caused but little damage. A house in Rosemont, which three Alexandria ladies occupy, was struck and the chimney and roof damaged. The weight of the water which settled as in a basin on a portion of the gospel ten, caused a small rent. The tent was not struck by lightning, as was reported.

Considerable water fell during the tempest, and streams near the city overflowed their banks for a time.

Running at a speed estimated at close to sixty miles an hour, an automobile occupied by Phelan G. Counselor, 19 years old, and a girl companion, struck a car of the Seventh street line at Seventh and D streets northwest, Washington, at 11:50 o'clock last night. Phelan's foot was cut off just above the ankle, it is said, and the young woman was also severely injured. The collision reduced the automobile to mass of wreckage. Walter Keefer, 21 years old, driver of the automobile, is held at the First precinct station charged with intoxication.

MARKET MASTER'S NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that I will begin today, September 4, 1916, at my office in the Market House the work of testing weights and measures used by storekeepers and others in this city. I will be in my office from 9 o'clock in the morning until 12 noon.

206-61 L. D. LYLES, Market Master.

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294-1m.

Oyster season now open at the Rammel Cafe.

REOPENING OF SCHOOLS

At Least Two Thousand White Pupils
Will Enter Next Monday
Morning.

Alexandria's public schools will be re-opened Monday morning at 9 o'clock after summer vacation from June 19th, and it is expected that upward of 2,000 white pupils will attend the local schools this year. 1,696 pupils will be apportioned in the Alexandria High School, Lee School and Washington School, on the opening day, and about 110 will be placed in the West End School. Several hundred more pupils will be admitted later, as permits will be continued to be issued to applicants at the superintendent's office at 9 o'clock every Monday morning for some time.

Superintendent Sweeney stated to a reporter for this paper that about 2,300 pupils are expected to be enrolled in the public schools of this city by October 1. Last year there were about 1,950, he said.

Today Harrie White is issuing permits to colored children, and it is expected that about 500 of these will receive instruction in the Snowden and Hollowell buildings.

The sixth annual session of the Alexandria High School is inaugurated at the opening Monday, and many recently established organizations in the school will be reorganized for the year at early dates. It is expected that the cadet corps, composed of two companies, which was organized last spring and participated as escort in several important local events before the close of the last term, will be reorganized about October 1, and a number of new cadets will be enlisted in the two companies, as a result of the large number of pupils graduating into the high school from the grammar grades.

Stanley G. Blanton, who will act as principal of the high school until the return of Conrad Johnson from Brownsville, where he is in charge of the Alexandria Light Infantry, will be the commandant of the cadets for the present. Mr. Blanton has recently returned from a six weeks' stay at the instruction camp at Plattsburg, N. Y., having passed the examination for second lieutenant in the United States Army reserve corps. Cadet officer appointments were made at the close of the last session, following the departure of several from schools and for other reasons, the correct staff of officers is incomplete as yet. There may be a necessity also for additional sergeants and corporals, as a result of the expected increase in the strength of the corps.

The athletic associations, one for boys, and one for girls, will meet at early dates. Officers for this year were chosen last June. A meeting of the A. H. S. Literary Society will be held soon to elect officers for a new term of three months the term of Edwin Brawner, president, and the other officers having expired at the close of the last session.

It is expected that several score of pupils will be enrolled in the new commercial and business department added to the curriculum of the school, and already a large number of pupils have announced their intention of entering the new course. Two years in the academic course is prerequisite for entrance to the new department. C. E. Bandy, the instructor.

Miss Fannie Smith will continue as principal of the Lee School for girls this year, and C. A. Burrus will be principal this year also of the Washington School for boys. Miss Anna Summers will act as head of the West End School again.

In the high school this year there will be about 300 pupils, about 20 of this number in the graduating class. About 800 will be in Lee School by October and about 650 in Washington school.

President Wilson plans few political speeches in the coming campaign and will not take the stump for an extended tour unless his campaign managers decide it is imperative.

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Merchants and Steamboat Companies
Experience Difficulty in Securing Men.

The Gazette on several occasions recently has called attention to the difficulty experienced by business men and others in Alexandria in securing laborers. This scarcity of men is felt more seriously during the summer months, and although there are always more or less idle men, white and black, loitering around the river front and contiguous to saloons, when this class is approached and work offered them, their would be employers are often answered with yawns or the words, "It's too hot today."

Yesterday we directed attention to the fact that guards from the state roads are likely to make their descent upon the city jail at any time and take there from such able-bodied men as may be serving terms. On Thursday one of those unannounced and unwelcome visitors carried away with him ten men—five white and five colored—to whom meteorological conditions were never suitable for work. They had been arrested as vagrants and composed a squad of "summer birds" netted by the police during the last three months.

Steamboat companies are, to use a vulgarism, "up against it." These corporations now pay \$30 a month and board to deck hands, yet it is seldom a steamer arrives or leaves this port with a full complement of men. These companies several years ago could procure men at \$15. They later paid \$18, \$20 and \$25. One river steamer which should carry twelve deck hands when such can be procured, left this port one day this week with but two. Only perishable freight could be taken aboard. Should the companies be so fortunate as to take on all the freight offered they would experience difficulty in getting it off at the river landings, as laborers are exceedingly scarce at all points on the Potomac. The Baltimore steamers are also experiencing inconvenience from scarcity of laborers.

STOLE BOTTLE OF MILK

Washingtonian Picked up Early This Morning While Prowling Around Back Yards of Houses

At an early hour this morning Officers Campbell and Thompson, who were on duty in the western section of the city, saw a suspicious-looking individual prowling near the back yard of houses in the vicinity of the gospel tent on upper King street. They approached the man, and being unable to give a satisfactory account of himself and refusing to give his name, he was taken in charge. Upon being searched two pint bottles and one half-pint bottle of milk was found in his pockets. A bottle of whiskey was also brought forth. The man was averse to arrest and attempted to fight himself loose from the officers. He was, however, soon overpowered and officers were not forced to use sticks upon him.

The stranger was brought before the Police Court this morning, and after the officers had made their charge a boy alleged he had delivered the bottle of milk found upon the man to certain customers, this morning. The stranger was asked if he had anything to say. The prisoner refused to make a statement, and was fined \$5. He still refused to give his name, but later, after having been locked up, he said he was Ed. Richards, and that his home is in Washington. Should he fail to pay his fine he will spend the next twenty days in jail.

According to dispatch from Berlin, during August the allies' artillery and aviators killed thirty-one men, twenty-seven women and seventeen children in Belgian and French territory held by the Germans. Fifty-two civilian men, ninety women and thirty-nine children were wounded. Since September, 1915, 1,993 French and Belgian civilians have thus been killed.

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"THE PEOPLE HAD A MIND TO WORK."

While most of the holy writings consist of spiritual food, there are suggestions in the Bible which show that in an industrious or commercial point of view, we should not be indolent. "Be diligent in business, fervent in spirit, serving the Lord," is one of the most practical suggestions in the good book.

The portable tabernacle now being used in the revival services on upper King street is upon the spot which, in ante-bellum days was known as "Peyton's Grove," the centre of the present city of Alexandria. In 1856, when a balloon ascension was made in that enclosure, a large percentage of the people gathered to see "Mongrel and his silken ball." The huge multitude watched the aeronaut until his balloon became a mere speck in the sky and finally passed from sight.

They then had their physical eyes turned heavenward while the present generation which now gathers in the same place have their spiritual eyes turned to God above.

But this article is not written for the purpose of delivering a sermon to compete with the enthusiastic messenger of the cross now among us. We have been forcibly impressed with the beautiful picture of men of all creeds and nationalities dwelling together in unity, and under the same tent. There is no Jew nor Greek, barbarian, Scythian, bond nor free—they are all mingling with one hope. In the days of Nehemiah, after Cyrus had allowed the Jews to return to their own land at the close of the seventy years of Babylonian captivity, the chosen people experienced no little difficulty in building Jerusalem. We are told that they worked with a sword in one hand and a trowel in the other. But the record says, "So we built the wall; and all the wall was joined together unto the half thereof; for the people had a mind to work."

This spiritual refreshing will continue a month. We will look for the harvest, hoping the seed is being sown which shall bring forth thirty, sixty and one hundred fold. Some will, doubtless, fall upon the hard paths, upon rocks and among thorns, as it ever has done, but let us hope for the host.

All will agree that the spiritual welfare of a city is of prime importance, and that its commercial interests, while vital are necessarily secondary, but the fact that our people have come together as one man, in the greatest religious movement ever launched in old Alexandria, proves conclusively that after this great and important work shall have been concluded, we can all come together and launch movements which will bring about better conditions in a commercial way. We are told to "Seek first the kingdom of heaven and all these things (worldly wealth) shall be added unto you," and now that we have commenced right, let us later on vie as earnestly for the

betterment of our beloved city along civic and commercial lines.

COLORED FOLKS INTERESTED

A well-known colored resident, has sent a communication to the Gazette, in which he says he understands the colored people of the city are to be given an opportunity to hear Evangelist Gypsy Smith, at the gospel tent. The writer accords much praise to Mr. Smith and expresses his appreciation of the great work in which he is engaged.

It should be stated that some colored people have attended these meetings from the beginning, and that their presence has encouraged those who have charge of the revival. In the Acts of the Apostles we are told of a disciple known as "Niger" who was called black. It is generally supposed Niger was a negro, but he took a prominent part in the work of the early church.

In ante-bellum days and for some time subsequent the pastors of the white churches of Alexandria frequently conducted services in the colored churches. They generally appeared among the colored people on Sunday nights, and their presence was always greeted with joy by the believers. After the close of hostilities visits of white ministers to colored churches became few and far between, from the fact that the colored race had ministers of their own. The negro is with us, and he is destined to stay with us. His progenitors were not born on the North American continent, nor were ours, but he needs encouragement and sympathy, as do all followers of the Holy One of Israel.

There have been Baptist, Presbyterian, Methodist and Episcopal nights and it is said the colored people would appreciate it if they were given an evening.

Since writing this article the Gazette learns that the northwest section of the big tent has been set apart for the accommodation of the colored people of the city for each nightly service.

SALE OF DEADLY WEAPONS

The deplorable tragedy Thursday afternoon, in which an esteemed lady of Louisa county took her life, while suffering from physical anguish of long months standing, should add strains of thought to the ideas of local lawmakers.

The Richmond Virginian calls attention to the fact that many efforts have been made to regulate the sale and purchase of deadly weapons. No man, or woman, without special permission from the judge of a court, can, under the law, carry a concealed weapon.

But there is no law preventing the sale of a weapon to any one who may apply to a hardware store or a pawnshop. An ordinance stood upon the books for a long time prohibiting pawnbrokers from buying or selling weapons. This law was recently stricken from the books so that now any one may sell or purchase a pistol. Had there been a law prohibiting the sale of such weapons, Mrs. Renolds could not have purchased the pistol with which she took her life, and there might have been fewer motherless children today.

TURN IN THE TIDE

It has been apparent for some time that the tide of battle in Europe has turned. The recession is painfully apparent to Germany, although that country still affects to treat as matters of no importance the steady progress of the allies and the falling back of the Teutons. One of Dickens's characters, who never realized the serious problems of life, had a saying, "It's of no consequence." This observation seems to have been adopted by the central powers in brushing aside as incidents of no importance facts which are of serious import.

The capture of Guillemont and the quick progress to the sunken road beyond; the taking of Falfemont farm and the thrust forward to Leuze wood, the close assault on Guichy and the French advance on the allies right have given to this part of the battle line an atmosphere of exultation that the English and French troops have not enjoyed since the day they broke the second German line at Longueval.

The men are fighting with that sense of victory which is half the battle.

They feel, rightly or wrongly, that they have the Germans on the run at last.

The rapid progress of the French is helping the men, not only in a military way, but as a moral tonic, for it shows that German strength and resistance has begun to crack and give way. The sense of getting on top now is inspiring the allies to fight to the last ounce of their strength.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

Under the above heading the Gazette will be pleased to give reasonable space to any person who desires to make comment upon matters of general interest to the public. Writers will of course be responsible for their utterances. A guarantee of good faith, the name and address of the writer of any article submitted for publication will be required in each instance.—Editor Gazette.

Editor Gazette:

Those who have heard the Evangelist, Rev. Gypsy Smith, have been impressed with the fact that it is the real man and woman that counts in religion, and it is the individual, who, when unconscious of self, is the real individual.

We are more or less given to display, generally more than less. Sometimes we almost imagine, or think from our observations, that life is getting to be one vast parade, and the saddest part of all, to my mind, is that often display is made when there is no truth in it. This holds good in material as well as in religious things. For instance, some folk try to appear wealthy, when in fact they possess little, consequently the display is a lie. "Paste diamonds" came into use for this purpose, simply to tell a lie. Then there is often a show of worth. Humility is not altogether a lost virtue, but it is a well nigh forgotten art.

When we come to the question of morality, for instance, we find the world is not lacking in those who make a display of it—a long list of supposed virtues are placarded on the backs of individual characters. We refer to them as Mr. or Mrs., unselfish and liberal, hence kind and good, and the world is supposed to look and read and believe. These people are not hypocrites, for the hypocrite is one who makes a false parade of his religion, claiming to have it when he knows he has it not. For, as Gypsy Smith so stated, it is in the realm of religion that hypocrites are born and bred.

It is a very easy matter for some of us to do things when somebody is looking on, but the greatest heroes and heroines in all the relations of life are those whose praises have never been sung, because their deeds have not been known. With self as spectator it is a little harder to act and think when no one on the outside is watching, and it is harder to play before one's self than before the world. Yet we are not on the ground of unconscious influence even in this.

When I look alone at my own deed there is a compelling and restraining force in it all. The world may not see what I am going to do tomorrow, but God knows I do not want to lose my own self-respect, for when I lose that I lose well nigh all. Unconscious influence does not mean simply that the one yielding it is unconscious of the extent of it, but that he is unconscious of the fact that it is an influence at all. In unconscious influence there is no effort made; it is like the beating of the heart, involuntary; just can't be helped. You can't guard against it, nor can you force it, for it is you; there is no show about it, absolutely no display, for you are unconscious of it yourself, for a man's real self is his unconscious influence. It may be identified with personality, but it is the biggest thing we have; it is almost like the unspoken word, the unspoken deed, the unspoken thought, is this unconscious influence; it is the storehouse of our worth and like the unconscious mind in which are hid away many treasures upon which we now and then draw. "If the violet knew of its sweetness I wonder if it would be content with its lowly place hidden beneath the leaves, or if the gold knew its value would it be content to lie hidden under the crust of the earth, or the rainbow knew its glory would it ever hide its face, yet it is the humility of the violet, which makes it sweetest; it is the fact that gold is hidden that makes it valuable; it is the coming and going of the rainbow that challenges attention."

In all this I would not cast reproach upon the conscious efforts, but simply exalt the worth of unconscious effort. How do we exert this unconscious influence? We wield it by just the same means that we wield the conscious influence; we wield it by our conversation, the unstudied conversation, when thoughts have not been thought and words have not been chosen in other words when we are not trying to put our best foot foremost and show off to the best advantage. It is when we speak to those with whom we come in contact whether in the home, in the office or on the street, and we wield it by our deeds, the every day deeds and every day affairs of life. It is not when we are trying to prove our worth in church affairs by making a parade of ourselves, but when we do everyday deeds that we wield an unconscious influence, and it is not when the preacher is in the pulpit but when

he is dealing with man that he is wielding an unconscious influence; it comes from deeds unplanned. We wield this influence by our every look and manner, not when we know others are looking at us, but when we reveal our soul in our eyes and manner that we wield this unconscious influence and the world judges us by it.

We cannot fool the world, either by our words or by our deeds nor deceive God. Cannot we then say we accomplish more by unconscious than by conscious influence? For if we are judged by it we influence through it, for it is the real self that counts for most in us all. It may possibly be that some men have lived a lie, but wherever their unconscious influence has been felt it has far outweighed the conscious efforts, and more than that the unconscious influence decides one's eternal welfare; deeds which go out of the man's real self are the ones to be taken account of in heaven, for these are what really measures the man as an individual. Those of us who are trying to make an impression upon our fellowmen never make any impression upon God. "Behold, I never knew you," shall He say to all such.

A man's real self gets to heaven or sinks into hell. Flashy unrealities are left behind. We are just what our unconscious influence makes us. "S. B. W."

NEWS OF THE DAY

One man was struck and killed by lightning, another was badly injured when a bolt struck a tombstone in a cemetery, several animals were killed and three Philadelphia churches were damaged during an electric and hail storm which swept over the city yesterday afternoon. Virtually every section of the city suffered storm damage when nearly 1-1-2 inches of rain fell.

Naomi Beach, 18 year old daughter of a farmer living near Huntsville, Ark., was indicted yesterday on a charge of first degree murder. She is said to have admitted that she shot and killed Earl Sisco, aged 20 years, son of a neighbor on July 11. They had been sweethearts but had quarreled. The girl is reported to have said that she killed the boy because he cursed her when she sought a reconciliation.

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